## **EXHIBIT 1**

## TO

# PLAINTIFF'S CONTROVERTING STATEMENT OF FACTS IN RESPONSE TO

**DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT** 

# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

CLEOPATRIA MARTINEZ,

Plaintiffs,

No. CV 15-01759 NVW

vs.

MARICOPA COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

DISTRICT, a political subdivision of the State, and RUFUS GLASPER and
DEBRA GLASPER, husband and wife,

Defendants.

#### DEPOSITION OF RUFUS GLASPER

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and then became the chief financial officer in 1995, and
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          then became the Chancellor in 2003.
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                   You're no longer with Maricopa, correct?
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                   Correct. I left Maricopa Community Colleges the
              Α.
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          end of February this year, 2016.
                   Okay. And where do you currently work?
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              Ο.
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                   I work for the League of Innovation in the
 8
          community college.
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              Ο.
                   I'm sorry. What was that?
                   I work for the League For Innovation in the
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11
          community college.
                        So, do you still work for MCCCD?
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              Ο.
                   Oh.
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              Α.
                   No.
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              Ο.
                   The League -- oh. I'm sorry. That's the name
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          for it?
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                   The League For Innovation, it's a non-profit
              Α.
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          organization.
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                   All right. Let me show you what I'd like to have
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          marked as Exhibit 1.
                    (Exhibit 1 was marked for identification.)
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22
          BY MR. ROBAINA:
                   Do you recognize generally that document?
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              Ο.
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              Α.
                 Yes.
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                   And what is it?
              Q.
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1 It's Residential Faculty Policy Manual for 2 2012-'13. 3 Ο. All right. Will you take a look at page 52? MR. UPPAL: You said 52, right? 4 5 MR. ROBAINA: Yes. 6 THE WITNESS: The signature page? 7 BY MR. ROBAINA: Yes, sir. This is the Ο. 8 attestation page. This agreement was ratified by the 9 Governing Board, you as Chancellor, and the representative 10 members of the faculty, correct? 11 Α. Yes. Okay. And is it fair to say that this agreement 12 13 sets forth, among other things, the rights of faculty 14 members with respect to the various employment matters? 15 Α. Yes. 16 All right. In some places this -- this 17 Residential Faculty Policy refers to residential faculty 18 and in other places it refers just to faculty. Is there any difference? 19 Residential -- well, residential faculty and 20 21 faculty within this policy manual should be synonymous. 22 Q. Okay. Do these policies apply to service 23 faculty? 24 Α. Yes. What is -- where are -- what is service faculty? 25 Q.

1 Those who may be working in the library or those 2 who might be counselors. 3 So, like, non-teaching faculty? Ο. 4 Well, they may teach as well. Α. 5 Q. Okay. But their primary function is service. 6 7 All right. Keep that Exhibit 1 out and then 8 let's have this one marked as Exhibit 2. 9 (Exhibit 2 was marked for identification.) 10 11 BY MR. ROBAINA: 12 And then can you identify that one generally? 13 Generally it's the Residential Faculty Policy Α. 14 Manual for 2013-'14. 15 Ο. Can you take a look at the last two pages? 16 Last two of the document? Α. 17 Yes, sir. O. 18 This appears to be a Memorandum of 19 Understanding. In the first paragraph there or the --20 it's number one: "The parties have entered into a 21 successor Residential Faculty Policy ratified by 22 the Faculty Association on August 16, 2013, and 23 approved by MCCCD Governing Board on 24 September 24th, 2013, a copy of which is attached 25 hereto."

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                         And I think it's your signature on the last
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          page. Do you see that?
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                   Yes, sir.
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                   All right. Is this Memorandum of Understanding
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          related to the Residential Faculty Policies dated 2013 to
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          2014 and effective September 1, 2013, which is Exhibit 2?
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                   Yes, sir. September 1st, yes.
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                   You'll see why in a minute I'm asking about both
              Q.
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          of those copies.
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                   Let me show you what I'd like to have marked as
11
          Exhibit 3.
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                   (Exhibit 3 was marked for identification.)
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14
          BY MR. ROBAINA:
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                   All right. If you would take a look, let me know
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          when you've had a chance to review that.
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                   MR. UPPAL: Oh, I'm so sorry.
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                   MS. MARTON: It's okay. It happens. Let me go
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          get some napkins.
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                   MR. ROBAINA: I'll go grab some.
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                   MS. MARTON: Do you need some more water?
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                   MR. UPPAL: No, I'm good.
                   (Whereupon a brief recess is taken.)
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                   MR. ROBAINA: Yes. Thank you.
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                   MR. UPPAL: Okay. I know you did, I just wanted
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          the record to be clear.
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                   MR. ROBAINA: Yeah, thank you. That's what I
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          meant.
                   BY MR. ROBAINA: Okay. Dr. Martinez had
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              Ο.
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          appointive status at the time she received the notice of
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          intent to dismiss her from her employment, correct?
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              Α.
                   Correct.
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                   Okay. And she had that still during when you
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          suspended her, correct?
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                   Correct.
              Α.
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              O.
                   Let me show you what --
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                   MR. ROBAINA: I don't know what number we're on.
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                   THE COURT REPORTER: 8.
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                   BY MR. ROBAINA: -- will be marked as Exhibit 8.
              Q.
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                   (Exhibit 8 was marked for identification.)
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                   MR. UPPAL: That's yours.
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                   BY MR. ROBAINA: I'm not going to ask you too
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          many questions about this document, I just want to know --
          you can read it. Take your time and read it if you'd
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23
          like.
                 I'm done.
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              Α.
                   All right. Have you -- do you recognize this
25
              Q.
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### 1 document? 2 Α. Yes. 3 And did you respond to this document? Ο. 4 No. Α. Do you know if anyone else did? 5 Q. 6 Α. Not to my knowledge. 7 MR. ROBAINA: Let's take a quick break. 8 MR. UPPAL: Just -- how long? I'm just asking. 9 MR. ROBAINA: Oh, yeah. 10 MR. UPPAL: Ten minutes? 11 MR. ROBAINA: Great. 12 (Recess taken from 12:15 p.m. to 12:31 p.m.) 13 14 BY MR. ROBAINA: 15 Going back to Exhibit 6 and the third page of 16 that exhibit, which is the February 10, 2014, notice of 17 suspension without pay. The first sentence says: 18 on -- upon the attached written statement of 19 charges, I decided to suspend your employment 20 under my sole authority as Chancellor." 21 Do you see that? 22 Α. Yes. All right. Was it your belief or your -- that 23 0. you did not need to -- strike that. 24 Did you seek any form of review of your decision 25

to suspend Dr. Martinez without pay from the Board? 1 2 Α. No. 3 Did you seek any authorization from the Board to Ο. 4 suspend Dr. Martinez without pay? 5 Α. No. To your knowledge, did the Board ever make any 6 7 determination with regard to your suspension of Dr. Martinez without pay? 8 9 Not to my knowledge. Α. Are employees of MCCD who are not residential 10 11 faculty, are they governed by staff policy, the staff 12 policy manual? 13 Α. Yes. 14 Ο. Okay. So that basically applies to everyone 15 other than residential faculty? 16 Repeat your question. Α. Staff policy -- the staff policy manual governs 17 Ο. 18 everyone other than residential faculty? 19 Α. Residential faculty have their own policy. Have their own, all right. Give me just one 20 0. 21 second here. 22 MR. ROBAINA: That's it. 23 24 25